

LAW OFFICE OF SAM A. SCHMIDT

**115 BROADWAY
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10006
(212) 346-4666
FACSIMILE (212) 346-4668
E-mail lawschmidt@aol.com**

Sam A. Schmidt, Esq.

Aviva Pasternak, Paralegal

April 26, 2017

Honorable Sidney H. Stein, USDJ
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, N.Y. 10007

Re: *U.S. v. Ketabchi et al*, Andrew Owimrin, defendant
17 Cr. 243 (SHS)

Dear Judge Stein:

I am the attorney for Mr. Owimrin. Presently, he is released on a bond with geographical limitations including the District of New Jersey (his State of residence) and the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York. The proposed bond, \$75,000 with two financially responsible sureties, was agreed upon by both parties.

Mr. Owimrin has previously purchased airplane tickets to attend his cousin's wedding in San Diego, CA. as a member of the wedding party, leaving May 2, 2017 and returning May 9, 2017. I respectfully request that his geographical limitations be expanded to allow him to travel to San Diego to attend his cousin's wedding.

I have left messages for the government but have not yet heard back from either Assistant United States Attorney.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

Sam A. Schmidt